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DECLARATION

I, Anthony C. Parra, declare as follows:

That I am one of the inventors of the Casino Gaming Station, filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 13, 2002 and assigned serial no. 10/075,082.

That I have been employed in the gaming and casino industry on a continuous basis (except for the years 1985 to 1988) from 1977 until 2001 during which time I served as a casino table dealer, a casino supervisor, slot operations manager, and casino shift manager having supervisory authority over all casino operations.

That I am familiar with the surveillance techniques employed in the casino industry including several of the types of cameras and the mountings for such cameras used in the casino industry.

That it is my belief that the mounting of a camera on a pedestal having a fixed upwardly extending member and a fixed arm that extends over a gaming table as claimed in my above mentioned patent application has not been used in a casino prior to my invention.

That cameras have been used to provide surveillance in the casino industry since circa 1970 or before.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issued thereon.


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